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FOR: "AN IMPROVED METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR HYDRAULIC FRICTION CONTROLLED DRILLING
AND COMPLETING GEOPRESSURED WELLS UTILIZING CONCENTRIC DRILL STRINGS"

Attorney Docket No. C02235US (26100.25C4)

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Applicant respectfully requests withdrawal of the holding of Abandonment dated 18 October 2005 in this application. Attorneys for the Applicant did not receive the Notice of Informal or Non-Responsive Amendment allegedly mailed on 13 January 2005.

A search of the file jacket of the Attorneys for Applicant and a search of the docket records indicate that the Notice was not received. A copy of a docket sheet dated for this application is attached. The Notice of Informal or Non-Responsive Amendment would have appeared on this docket sheet had it been received by Attorneys for the Applicant, as incoming USPTO mail is docketed after it is opened and before it is distributed to attorneys in the firm.

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Please withdraw the Holding of Abandonment and send the Notice of Informal or Non-Responsive Amendment so that it can be responded to.

Applicant respectfully submits that the application is in condition for allowance. A Notice of Allowance is hereby respectfully requested.

Should the Examiner feel that a telephone conference would advance the prosecution of this application, he is encouraged to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for any extension of time necessary to render this paper timely.

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Respectfully submitted,

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